



ALANANDROBERTA HALE <alangail38@wildblue.net>

Cyanide Code

3 messages

Thompson, Mark (Golden Sunlight) <msthompson@barrick.com>

Thu, Mar 24, 2011 at 4:52 PM

To: "hendrickhd14@yahoo.com" <hendrickhd14@yahoo.com>, "brian@hovenequipment.com" <brian@hovenequipment.com>, "newbar@gmail.com" <newbar@gmail.com>, "jbenhd1@hotmail.com" <jbenhd1@hotmail.com>, "connell4hd87@yahoo.com" <connell4hd87@yahoo.com>, "vjchd52@yahoo.com" <vjchd52@yahoo.com>, "hideaway@mt.net" <hideaway@mt.net>, "alangail38@wildblue.net" <alangail38@wildblue.net>, "bharris@midrivers.com" <bharris@midrivers.com>, "betsyhands@gmail.com" <betsyhands@gmail.com>, "cloney@q.com" <cloney@q.com>, "mike4hd84@blackfoot.net" <mike4hd84@blackfoot.net>, "michelereinhardt@gmail.com" <michelereinhardt@gmail.com>, "wendywarburton@gmail.com" <wendywarburton@gmail.com>, "kathleenhd65@bresnan.net" <kathleenhd65@bresnan.net>

House Natural Resource Committee Members,

There was an unfavorable comment made about the International Cyanide Code at yesterday's hearing on SB 306.

I invite you to come to Golden Sunlight and witness firsthand what preparing to become Cyanide Code Certified entails. Our Management Team has committed millions of dollars and our workforce has invested thousands of man-hours to modify, upgrade and improve our facility. Further GSM has invested considerable resources into developing and documenting procedures, employee and contractor training, and community involvement and training. These improvements go far beyond any previous industry standards.

All of Barrick's other operating sites in North America and internationally have become certified under the code, while GSM's milling operation was suspended, and they can attest that the independent audit procedures and protocols are no joke. No rock is left unturned during the audits. This code is not window dressing.

At GSM we are very proud of our accomplishments and becoming Cyanide Code Certified is the single largest advance in worker safety and environmental and community protection at GSM since 1998 when the cyanide destruction circuit was implemented.

Thank You